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**Petition For Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for filing a Notice of Appeal be extended two (2) months from June 11, 2003 to August 11, 2003 by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.


The petition fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)) is believed to be \$205.00 for a two month extension for a small entity. Fee payment is provided in our accompanying PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form. However, if extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Respectfully submitted,

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